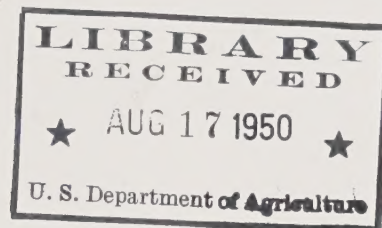


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HOQUIAM, WASHINGTON

DAFFODILS

LONG TRUMPETS

All prices are for large double-nose No. 1 bulbs.
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BEERSHEBA

A most beautiful pure white flower. A large, perfectly flat perianth, a very long trumpet, narrow at the base, gently tapering to a beautifully flanged mouth. A blossom of great size measuring about 5 inches across, but of dainty appearance because of the slenderness of the trumpet. An outstanding exhibition variety, having received many impressive awards.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

BEN HUR

One of the best of the new trumpet daffodils. The trumpet is deeply frilled, of pure Roman gold and opens to a width of 2½ inches. The perianth is in proportion, making a very large well shaped blossom.

Each 25c, 3 for 70c, doz. \$2.50

BROUGHSHANE

Perfectly balanced giant white Ajax. Trumpet widely flanged, reflexed and frilled. Immense full 5½ inches across with segments up to 2¼ inches wide.

Each \$24.00

DAWSON CITY

Excellent garden variety and of value for exhibition. Broad flat perianth of smooth substance, well-formed flanged trumpet, of a self golden-yellow.

Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.85

DIOTIMA

The most popular of the super-giant yellow trumpets. A beautifully proportioned flower carried on a graceful tapering stem 2 feet tall. The broad overlapping petals form a star-shaped perianth of medium deep primrose (5 to 6 inches across); the trumpet is slightly darker. The blossoms stand out in bold contrast with all other yellow trumpets.

Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.00

ESKIMO

In contrast to Beersheba this white daffodil has a wide open trumpet. The perianth is broad, the color of the blossom pale primrose on opening but quickly turning to a pure white. A very fine flower of great substance, which blooms profusely and is a vigorous grower.

Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65, doz. \$5.75

FEBRUARY GOLD

One of the very first to bloom. A dainty flower of deepest gold with long narrow trumpet and petals slightly curled. Excellent for pot culture.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.40

GOLDEN HARVEST

Undoubtedly one of the largest trumpet varieties in existence. Overlapping perianth and well formed trumpet with rolled back rim. Deep golden yellow.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$2.05

HECTOR TREUB

Uniform golden yellow. Most beautiful proportions, the petals overlapping and the flower well balanced. Very upright and lasting.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

HUNTERS MOON

A lovely trumpet in graded tints of clear luminous lemon. A vigorous grower and grand for cutting.

Each \$6.00

JEFTA

Very delicately colored giant trumpet; cream colored perianth and pale lemon trumpet slightly recurved at the mouth. Early. A King Alfred seedling.

Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.45

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King Alfred

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FIRST QUALITY
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ADA FINCH

One of the very earliest daffodils to flower. Pure white, overlapping perianth, large, finely proportioned trumpet with deeply flanged and rolled rim. The immense flower is carried on a tall stem and the entire plant is beautifully proportioned.

Each \$1.35, 3 for \$3.70, doz. \$13.50

AEROLITE

A large golden daffodil of graceful form. The perianth is deep primrose with a pure medium yellow trumpet, left in bold relief by the broad pointed star formed by the flat outer petals, an inch and a half wide. Medium early and one of the longest lasting.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

ALASNAM

Very early. A short, densely frilled trumpet of deep yellow; perianth a shade lighter. Upright blossom on sturdy stem. Excellent for outside planting and for forcing in pots.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

KING ALFRED

The best known and one of the finest of all the yellow trumpets. A deep golden yellow trumpet with a flange decidedly recurved, perianth yellow. A flower which will stand up under adverse weather conditions. Extremely disease resistant. Long strong stems and broad-leaved deep green foliage.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.40, 100 for \$ 9.80

Jumbo Bulbs: Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.90, 100 for \$13.30

LA VESTALE

Giant trumpet type with pure ivory white perianth of informal design, with trumpet of deep cream-yellow, tall, fine for small groups or naturalizing in dim shade; though of delicate appearance, it lasts well. Very early. Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.35

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE

The "White King Alfred". The flower is a little smaller than King Alfred with a pure white perianth, trumpet opening deep cream but changing to ivory white. The trumpet is of smooth and waxy texture and deeply recurving at the mouth. Has splendid keeping qualities. Each 25c, 3 for 70c, doz. \$2.60

MRS. JOHN C. BODGER

The most exquisite white trumpet. A semi-dwarf plant with flower of medium size. The perianth pure white, the trumpet cream, slightly flared and fluted. A show flower very adaptable to rock gardens and flower borders. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.10, doz. \$7.50

ROXANE

An outstanding white. Large creamy white trumpet with round overlapping pure white perianth. The trumpet is nicely frilled at the mouth. Foliage is broad-leaved and the bulb very fine for pot culture, as well as for outdoor planting.

Each 30c, 3 for 80c, doz. \$3.00

SPRING GLORY

A favorite variety for the garden and for pot culture. The best of the BI-COLORS. Pure yellow trumpet, white perianth, excellent stem and free blooming. Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.85

STATENDAM

Extremely large golden yellow trumpet daffodil of superb yet graceful proportions. Massive overlapping deep golden yellow perianth, large, flaring, well formed trumpet. Very vigorous grower. Each 55c, 3 for \$1.50, doz. \$5.60

THE FIRST

The earliest of the Yellow Trumpets. Large blossoms with deep yellow trumpet and perianth a lighter shade. The best variety to plant for early flowering. It is truly "THE FIRST".

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

WINTER GOLD

Very early flower of great merit. Perianth is bright yellow, trumpet long and straight, and prettily frilled. Good for pots and garden. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.70

YELLOW CLOUD

A golden yellow, well-proportioned and refined King Alfred seedling. The flowers are very large and well poised on 20-inch stems. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.85

MEDIUM TRUMPETS



DAMSON

BERNARDINO

Perianth creamy white, cup yellow, edged orange; very free-flowering, good grower. Recommended. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

CARLTON

A very large blossom with flat overlapping perianth and large expanded crown. Color a fine clear yellow. Broad leaved foliage. Long stems. An outstanding daffodil in every show and garden.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

CROESUS

Universally popular both for garden and for exhibition; light canary yellow perianth of perfect form, with outer petals nearly touching, the inner ones overlapping, opening flat; broad fluted cup of rich orange to the base. Desirable in every way.

3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

DAISY SCHAFFER

A prize winning flower in the giant Leedsii type. The blossom resembles the giant trumpets in shape with a 4½ inch spread. The perianth is pure white, the long trumpet opens primrose changing to lemon yellow. Outstanding in any group of daffodils.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.05, doz. \$3.75

DAMSON

A striking flower of very brilliant color, broad creamy white perianth shaded yellow at the base, long cup of intense fuchsia-red. Flower is of fine substance having good keeping qualities.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

DELAWARE

Somewhat similar to Daisy Schaffer but somewhat smaller and more graceful; perianth pure white, cup opens a golden quince changing to creamy lemon; exceptionally deeply crinkled; a splendid flower and a strong grower.

Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.50

DICK WELLBAND

One of the finest of the Incomparabilis type. The flower is large, the stems long, it is a very strong grower and very free flowering. The perianth is pure white, the cup flame orange to the base making a startling contrast. It is a fine exhibition variety.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$2.05



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Medium Trumpets—Continued

E. H. WILSON

A Giant Leedsii of most lovely form and perfect texture, broad overlapping pure white perianth with petals nicely pointed. Crown light yellow changing to ivory, shallow and fluted at the margins. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

FORTUNE

A giant Incomparabilis of perfect form. Broad creamy yellow perianth of very solid texture, crown of great size and elegant form, opening at the mouth and deeply frilled; color a glowing soft orange. The stems are extremely long and the plant a strong grower. Comes into flower very early. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

FRANCISCA DRAKE

It is impossible to describe adequately the beauty of this flower. The pure white perianth petals are of unusual substance, an inch and a half wide and colored gold at the base which shows through to the outside, changing to flame orange at the densely frilled edge. Foliage fine and strong growing. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.30

GERTIE MILLAR

Wonderful flower of the Giant Leedsii type. The perianth is pure white, with beautifully proportioned cup of pale primrose, deeply fluted and frilled and of translucent texture. A handsome flower. Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.50

GOLDEN PEDESTAL

One of the best varieties for garden planting and for exhibition blooms, having a fine quality of flower on a very long, graceful stem. Perianth is a clear golden yellow with well proportioned cup of the same color. Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.50

HADES

A very strong vigorous variety. Large creamy white perianth of excellent texture, large expanded crown of a real deep cherry red. Exceptional color retention for life of bloom. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.25

HELIOS

A very early variety with golden yellow perianth and cup of a slightly darker shade verging on light orange. Long stems. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

JOHN EVELYN

This variety is one of the most popular daffodils. The blossom is very large, the perianth pure glistening white, the cup lemon yellow, large and opened wide, and densely frilled and shirred to the base. This is a variety every daffodil enthusiast should have. Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$2.05

LUCINIUS

An all yellow flower of especially good form and with good keeping qualities. Blooms rather late and lasts a long time in the garden. Star-shaped perianth and broad golden yellow cup. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

MILFORD HAVEN

Fine flower with creamy white perianth and wide cup, ruffled and deeply frilled at the edge, chrome yellow at base and shading into rich orange-scarlet. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

NOVA SCOTIA

Very large flat golden yellow cup with heavily fringed deep orange margin, perianth creamy white. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

ORANGE GLOW

A yellow perianth of good substance, a flaring trumpet, yellow with orange glow, rather frilled at the edge. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

PIRATE'S GOLD

Well overlapping, bright golden-yellow perianth with gracefully flaring brilliant orange cup. A flower of wonderful quality and perfect exhibition form. Introduced in 1947. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.10, doz. \$7.50

QUICKSILVER

Well named silvery white flower of pleasing proportions. Exceptionally graceful, fine for garden and show purposes. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.25

RED CROSS

Another of the Backhouse hybrids and a most popular variety. Has extra large strong flower opening flat, perianth primrose yellow, cup densely frilled, orange at the base shading to a deeper orange at the edge. Stems very long, flowers of good substance and long lasting. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

RED SHADOW

A bold and attractive flower blooming very late. The perianth is cream yellow, the cup dark yellow with an orange-red edge. It is very free flowering and a strong grower. An outstanding variety. Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.85

ST. EGWIN

Perfect quality, uniform soft yellow throughout. Perianth segments overlapping. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.00

SCARLET LEADER

One of the most sensational flowers of recent years. The creamy petals of the perianth are very broad and overlapping; the cup opens quite wide and is of a fiery-orange shade. Very striking as an exhibition variety. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.75, doz. \$10.00

SILVER STAR

A free flowering extra fine white. A broad-petaled perianth of pure cream-white, with a wide-mouthed trumpet of primrose changing to cream-white as the bloom matures. A very popular variety. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.90

SIR WATKIN (Improved)

Perianth is light yellow, trumpet of deep yellow shading to light orange and quite deeply frilled. Blooms very early. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.15

TUNIS

A robust Leedsii of great distinction. The white perianth petals are broad and waved; the large cup is ivory with a flanged and serrated rim of coppery gold. A long-stemmed variety that stands up well under adverse weather conditions. Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$2.05

VOLTURNO

A striking large Barrii with broad, smooth, flat, large white perianth and a large saucer shaped deep yellow crown, heavily banded and suffused with bright orange-red, nicely frilled at edge. Each \$6.00

WHITELEY GEM

The earliest of the Red-cups and an outstanding variety. A well balanced flower on a very tall stem. The coloring is deep golden yellow in the perianth and bright orange in the cup. The petals are broad but not overlapping, the cup nicely fluted. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

YELLOW POPPY

A good forcing variety. Overlapping perianth of primrose yellow. Widely flaring cup of bright yellow. Fine for bedding. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.30



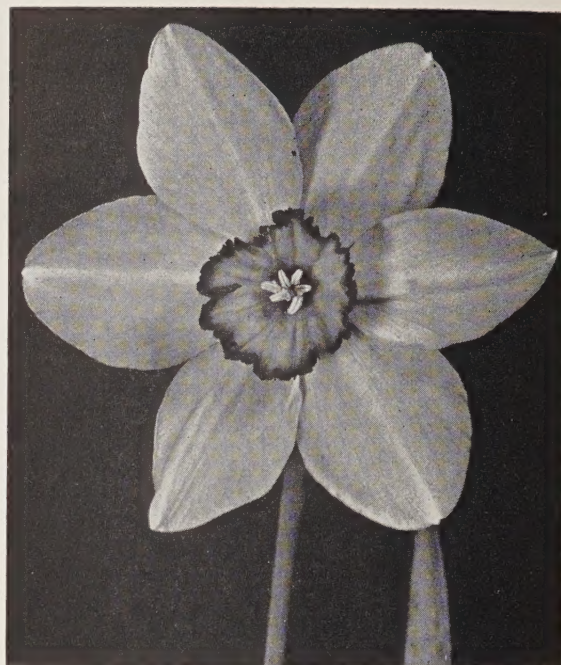
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SHORT CUPS

ALCIDA

Giant flower, creamy white perianth opening flat, with petals 1 1/2 inches wide; broad citron-yellow cup with blood-orange frill; strong grower and free-flowering; very late.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

BATH'S FLAME

Yellow perianth with short, darker yellow cup deeply edged orange-scarlet. Very long stems and frilled cup.

3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

DIANA KASNER

One of the most popular of the short-cupped varieties. A cream-yellow perianth and a large fluted yellow cup with a deep red frilled edge. Has long stems, flowers abundantly and increases rapidly. Also is good for pot culture.

3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

ECLAIR

Semi-Poeticus type with broad overlapping perianth of purest white; shallow cup yellow at base shading to deep blood-red. Very late.

Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.00

EDITH

One of the best of the Poeticus type, exceptionally wide perianth petals and fine form. Very late.

Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.50

FIREBIRD

A de Graaff hybrid. Large, well-proportioned, pure white overlapping perianth. The short cup is nicely frilled and orange-red.

Each \$2.00

FIRETAIL

Broad petaled creamy-white perianth and large orange cup with scarlet-orange frill.

Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$2.00

HERA

A very dainty near-white short-cupped daffodil. The flower is of medium size with broad white petals and a short deeply frilled cream-white cup with just a mere touch of pale primrose on the edge. Blooms rather late.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

MAGIC FIRE

A striking flower of exceptional substance and a very fine show flower. Pure white, well overlapping perianth, small cup with fiery red brim.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

MRS. BARCLAY

A showy large flower on a very long stem. Color is pale primrose, perianth petals broad, cup flat, deeply frilled, and with a dainty orange picotee edge.

Each 15c, 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.30

MYSTIC

A beautiful flower of great refinement, large broad perianth of a creamy white, large flat white crown with a narrow rim of soft clear pinkish orange shading to cool apple green in center, strong grower.

Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.00

NETTE O'MELVENY

An immensely popular short crowned daffodil. The flower is rather large on a long, graceful stem; perianth pure white, cup clear lemon-yellow with a bright orange picotee edge.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

Mixture of Red-Cup Daffodils

RED-CUPS have become very popular the last few years. Because of this demand we are offering this year a fine mixture of these popular daffodils. This mixture contains short, medium and long trumpets, some with yellow, some with cream and others with white perianth petals, and all with red cups or yellow cups edged red. We are sure you will be pleased with this mixture.

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CHEERFULNESS

PINK TRUMPETS

C. E. BAILEY

Beautiful white perianth, pale cream trumpet with a deep pink picotee edge. Extremely frilled. Each \$5.00

LOVENEST

One of the very few members of the "pink" daffodil class. Among the daintiest of the trumpets; medium in height with a starry shaped perianth of informal type; nicely proportioned trumpet of saffron yellow turning to apricot pink. Very early.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$3.75

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE

This is the famous real pink daffodil. The perianth is ivory white, the trumpet long and slender similar to that of Beersheba, the all-white daffodil. The color of the trumpet is apricot pink when first opening, later changing to shell pink at the deeply frilled edge. Blooms rather early; flowers long lasting. Very refined and dainty.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

ROSABELLA

Fine informal perianth of creamy white; slightly flaring and nicely frilled apricot-pink trumpet. A very refined blossom. Like Mrs. Backhouse and Lovenest classed as a "pink" daffodil. One of the newest of the "pinks" and truly a collector's item.

Each \$2.75

VERONICA

A de Graaff hybrid. Perfectly rounded, broad-petaled, pure white perianth; small, deeply frilled and fluted cup of pinkish apricot; especially dainty and charming.

Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, doz. \$5.00

Seedling Mix from Jan de Graaff

For the first time this year we are offering the finest seedling mixture obtainable. These come from the experimental acreage of Oregon Bulb Farms and contain many of the new Pink Leedsii and a large group of the Triandrus hybrids. We have given this mix a lot of thought and study and recommend it highly.

Large Double-nose No. 1 Bulbs: Doz. \$2.00, 100 for \$14.00
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DOUBLES

ALBUS PLENUS ODORATUS

Snowy white, sweet scented, pure white double Poeticus. Flowers most satisfactory in cool, moist climate. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.10

INDIAN CHIEF

Very large and very double, bright yellow interspersed with orange; the petals curled and twisted.

Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

IRENE COPELAND

Large full double flower, petals snow white with primrose-yellow markings. A decidedly different flower. One of the most popular of the Doubles.

Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.35

MARY COPELAND

A very striking semi-double type. Also very popular. The longer petals are pure cream-white with a golden ray down the center of each petal. Interspersed among these cream-white petals are shorter petals of lemon and brilliant orange. It is a very showy blossom.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.05, doz. \$3.75

MOULIN ROUGE

Very late full double flower; broad overlapping perianth petals of light citron yellow; cup made up of long primrose petals shading to cream toward the center, and shorter petals of deep yellow-orange. A large blossom and very outstanding.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.05, doz. \$3.75

ROYAL SOVEREIGN

The most graceful and charming of the semi-doubles; color is cream-white interspersed with crinkled and frilled trumpet petals of primrose-yellow shading to pale primrose as the flower develops.

Each 25c, 3 for 70c, doz. \$2.60

SNOW SPRITE

A double Leedsii; flowers borne on tall stems; pure white, interspersed with very light lemon; extremely late prolonging the daffodil blooming season.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.90

TEXAS

A tall growing double of fine form. Flowers are very large; pale yellow interspersed with brilliant orange. A late variety.

Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25, doz. \$4.50

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MARY COPELAND

Doubles—Continued

THE PEARL

Nice flowers, not too double, creamy white, interspersed with sulphur-yellow, deeper at the center, very charming.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.90

TWINK

A DeGraaf hybrid and one of the best of the doubles; because of its fine qualities is being used extensively by florists for forcing and for growing outside for cut flowers. It is a semi-double with alternating petals of soft primrose yellow and clear orange. A fine show flower.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.70



A NATURALIZED PLANTING OF ACTAEA

Sweet-Scented POETICUS (*Poet's Eye*) AND POETAZ (BUNCH-FLOWERED)

ACTAEA

The largest flower in the Poeticus group. The petals are snow white and very broad; the large eye has a broad edge of dark red. Comes into bloom earlier than most of the Poeticus type. Very fragrant and has long lasting qualities. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

GLORY OF LISSE

One of the standard varieties in the Poeticus group. Petals are pure white, flat yellow cup edged red. Blooms about the same time as Edwina. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00

RECURVUS

The old Pheasant's Eye Narcissus. The latest to bloom and very hardy; unexcelled for naturalizing. Flowers smaller than the newer varieties with petals recurved toward the stem. Very fragrant. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.10

CANALICULATUS

A dainty little Polyanthus Narcissus suitable for sunny situations or in the rock garden; it has narrow erect foliage of bluish green and bears heads of three to four flowers with white perianth and globular golden cup; sweet scented; height 6 inches. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00

CHEERFULNESS

A very popular double Poetaz. The petals are broad and cream-white. The center of the bloom is made up of larger cream-white and short pale yellow petals, a very pretty effect. Several blossoms on each stem. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

GERANIUM

An outstanding variety in this type; striking pure white perianth with brilliant orange-red cup; large flowers, 3 to 6 on a stem. 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.85



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GLORIOUS

Tall flower delightfully informal in habit of growth; perianth glistening white, the shallow cup orange with red edge. Very outstanding. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

KLONDYKE

One of the best of the yellow Bunch-flowered varieties. The perianth is rich yellow, the cup orange-yellow.

3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

LAURENS KOSTER

Creamy white perianth, lemon-yellow cup. Many flowers on a stem. Is very fine for pot growing and always good in the garden and for cutting.

3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00

ORANGE CUP

The perianth is yellow, the cup orange-red and nicely frilled. Quite early and very showy.

3 for 35c, doz. \$1.10

ST. AGNES

Very flat, well rounded perianth and flat orange-red crown. Two or more flowers per stem. Sturdy grower.

3 for 35c, doz. \$1.10



GERANIUM

Poetaz Mixture

Many people are fond of the bunch-flowered types of Narcissi because of their grace and beauty and because of their delightful fragrance. Our POETAZ mixture is made up of white, cream, yellow and bi-color varieties. Plant some of these and have flowers for lovely bouquets in your home next spring.

Doz. \$1.25, 100 for \$8.75



SHOT SILK

TRIANDRUS AND CYCLAMINEUS

MOONSHINE

A beautiful Triandrus hybrid of creamy white. A great favorite. The flowers grow two or three to the stem and are of the drooping habit.

Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25

SHOT SILK

This is the most graceful flower in the Triandrus class. It has three flowers to the stem; the perianth and cup are of uniform cream-white, the cup long and slender.

Each 30c, 3 for 85c, doz. \$3.00

SILVER CHIMES

A perianth of pure white with a cup of pale primrose. Each stem has a cluster of from three to six blossoms. Fine for growing in pots. It is not perfectly hardy in cold climates but does well on the Pacific Coast.

Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00

THALIA

A pure white blossom growing two to three on a stem. Very popular. Good for growing in pots as well as in the garden.

Each 25c, 3 for 70c, doz. \$2.60

BERYL

A lovely little Cyclamineus hybrid, graceful drooping primrose yellow flowers, perianth and small globular bright orange cup shading to gold. Ideal for rock gardens and potting. Height 8".

Each 35c, 3 for 95c, doz. \$3.50

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JONQUILS

CAMPERNELLI SINGLE

Clusters of bright yellow fragrant flowers. Foliage dark green and rush-like. Height 18 inches. Very fine in the garden and for forcing in pots. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

CAMPERNELLI DOUBLE

The double Campernelli, similar in every way to the single type above but with flowers double. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

GOLDEN PERFECTION

A perfect perianth with wide overlapping segments of deep citron yellow with a mica sheen; cup of pure gold; calyx grey-green flecked with gold. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.85

GOLDEN SCEPTRE

A medium sized perfectly built flower of jonquil gold. The perianth is star shaped, the trumpet slightly rolled and flaring at the mouth. Blooms rather late and is of extra fine substance keeping in perfect condition a long time both in the garden and when cut. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10

JONQUILLA SIMPLEX

The true single sweet jonquil, of elegant growth, bearing outdoors in May charming clusters of rich yellow flowers of delicious scent. Doz. \$1.00

LANARTH

A beautiful and unique hybrid, deep gold overlapping perianth, shallow expanded cup of gold flushed orange; a fine exhibition flower and garden plant. Each 20c, 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.90

ORANGE QUEEN

A cluster-type Campernelli with two to three blossoms on a strong, wiry stem. The blossoms are deep golden orange and very fragrant. Brilliant in the garden and fine for cutting. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

SIERRA GOLD

A splendid flower of extremely rich coloring; an intense, pure buttercup gold, the beautiful little trumpet being reflexed and deeply frilled; increases rapidly and fine for rock gardens. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.50

TREVITHIAN

A free-flowering short crowned jonquil; very sweet scented and a pale lemon-yellow; very large flowers on long stems. Each 15c, 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.30



ARRANGEMENT OF JONQUILS AND "THALIA"

WILSHIRE GARDENS

Giant May Flowering

TULIPS

All Bulbs Top Size—14 Centimeters and Up

ADVANCE

Giant flowers of fiery scarlet. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

CAMPFIRE

Large blood-red. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00

CARRARA

Beautiful white Cottage tulip. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

CHARLES NEEDHAM

Huge new brilliant scarlet. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

CITY OF HAARLEM

Large deep red. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

CLARA BUTT

Lovely salmon-pink, a favorite. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

ECLIPSE

Huge crimson-maroon. Very fine. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

FAUST

Large, satiny violet. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

GOLDEN AGE

Deep buttercup yellow. Very large. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

INSURPASSABLE

Huge flowers of lovely orchid. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35



YELLOW GIANT

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Our
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MAY-
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ADVANCE

MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS

Clear golden yellow. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

MR. VAN ZYL

Lovely deep pink edged silver. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35

NIPHETOS

Soft yellow with lighter base. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

PRIDE OF HAARLEM

Lovely shade of rose-red. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

PRINCESS ELIZABETH

A popular soft rose-pink. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

SCARLET LEADER

Brilliant scarlet. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

YELLOW GIANT

Very large yellow. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00

ZWANENBURG

One of the best whites. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25

THE PEACH

A new color in Darwin Tulips, large blooms of brilliant peach color with lighter edge. Height 26". 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.40

SPECIAL BACKCOVER COLLECTION

See back cover of catalog for full color pictures of each of these six glorious tulips.
All top size and postage prepaid.

INSURPASSABLE—Huge, lovely orchid.

GOLDEN AGE—Deep buttercup yellow. Very large.

CLARA BUTT—Lovely salmon pink.

CITY OF HAARLEM—Large, deep red.

KEIZERSKROON—Single early, striped red and yellow.

CHARLES NEEDHAM—Huge brilliant scarlet.

3 of each (value \$2.35) \$2.00 — 12 of each (value \$8.00) \$6.50



PARROT TULIP VIOLET QUEEN



PARROT TULIP FANTASY



MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS

PARROT TULIPS

An artistic and beautiful type of tulip, and increasingly popular. They are all beautifully colored, the stems are long and straight. The petals are gloriously ruffled and curled, some with deeper markings or touches of apple green. They are especially fine for cutting and make most attractive flower arrangements.

- BLUE PARROT**
Bright purple shaded steel blue. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.15
- FANTASY**
Enormous flowers of deep pink shaded apple green. 3 for 45c, doz. \$1.65
- FIREBIRD**
Bright red sport of Fantasy. 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.50
- ORANGE FAVORITE**
Beautiful shade of orange. 3 for 45c, doz. \$1.60
- PIERSON**
Deep maroon sport of Darwin Allard Pierson. 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.70
- SUNSHINE**
Golden yellow with slight green markings. 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.50
- THERESE**
Vivid carmine-red with white center and black anthers. Deeply frilled edges. 3 for 60c, doz. \$2.10
- VIOLET QUEEN**
A dainty pearl blue. 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.90

Collection of Parrot Tulips

3 each 8 varieties (value \$ 4.40)—24 bulbs, \$ 3.50
12 each 8 varieties (value \$15.10)—96 bulbs, \$12.50

SINGLE AND DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

- KEIZERSKROON**
Bright red edged and marked golden yellow. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35
- PEACH BLOSSOM**
Early double, deep rose-pink, flushed white; large full flower on strong stem. Good forcer and splendid bedder. Sport of Murillo. 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35
- PINK BEAUTY**
Deep rose and white single. 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.50
- YELLOW PRINCE**
Bright yellow single. 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.10
3 each of 4 varieties of Early Tulips—12 Bulbs for \$1.40
1 doz. each of 4 varieties —48 bulbs for \$5.00



EROS (Double)



Special Mixed Tulip Offer

This season we find we have a surplus in some varieties of tulips. To reduce our stock we are making a special offer to our customers. These are all named varieties in a well blended all-color mixture for border planting or for cutting. The bulbs are top and first size, all guaranteed to bloom. This is an excellent opportunity to purchase bulbs in quantity at a very low price.

5 bulbs \$4.00, 100 bulbs \$7.50

MIXED MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

If you want lovely flowers for bouquets or, if you want a colorful tulip border, plant MIXED MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS. Ours is a blended mixture of many colors that will give you gorgeous flowers over a long blooming season.

Doz. \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00. Prepaid.

WILSHIRE GARDENS

HOQUIAM, WASHINGTON

DOUBLE LATE TULIPS

Double Late Tulips are full double flowers resembling Peonies. Stems are long and stiff, fine for either beds or cutting.

- COXA**
Orange red, tipped white. 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.25
- EROS**
Beautiful old rose. 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25
- MT. TACOMA**
One of the most popular tulips, huge pure white. 3 for 45c, doz. \$1.65
- UNCLE TOM**
Rich dark red. 3 for 55c, doz. \$1.95
3 each of 4 varieties—12 bulbs for \$1.60
12 each of 4 varieties—48 bulbs for \$5.75

Brightly Colored BOTANICAL TULIPS for the Rock Garden or Border

They will delight you with their cheery colors in early spring. Like other small flowered bulbs they make the best effect when planted in groups. They last for years.

- CLUSIANA**
The lovely lady tulip, bright red and pure white. Height 8". 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.80
- EICHLERI**
Large long-petaled blooms of vermillion orange. Height 10". 3 for 40c, doz. \$1.35
- KAUFMANNIANA**
The lovely Water Lily Tulip, creamy yellow with a broad pink stripe. Very early. Height 8". 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.20
- PRAESTANS FUSILIER**
A "Multiflora", four or more orange red flowers on a stem. 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.80
- RED EMPEROR**
One of the most popular of all tulips. Large flowers of brilliant dazzling red. 3 for 55c, doz. \$2.10



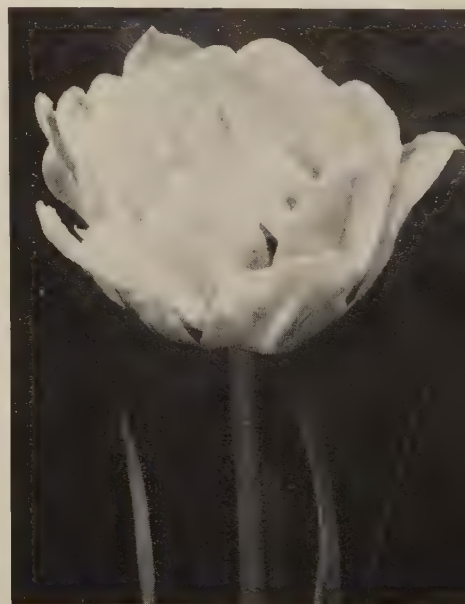
RED EMPEROR (Mrs. LeFeber)



ZWANENBURG



PEACH BLOSSOM (Double)



MT. TACOMA (Double)



ANEMONES DE CAEN



SCILLA SIBIRICA



RANUNCULUS

ANEMONES

Large Single Types

MONARCH DE CAEN

In mixed colors.

Large bulbs: Doz. 75c, 100 for \$5.25

HIS EXCELLENCY

Red.

Large bulbs: Doz. 85c, 100 for \$6.00

BLUE POPPY

Blue.

Large bulbs: Doz. 85c, 100 for \$6.00

THE BRIDE

White.

Large bulbs: Doz. 85c, 100 for \$6.00

ST. BRIGID (Semi-double Type)

In many gorgeous colors. Large bulbs: Doz. 85c, 100 for \$6.00

RANUNCULUS

Beautiful full double flowers in many shades. In severe climates they may be started in pots or planted out as early as possible in the spring. In the Northwest February planting is best. Cover only 2 inches and keep the ground moist as the leaves are very delicate and will not come through the ground if it becomes dry and crusted over.

RED SHADES

YELLOW SHADES

GOLD SHADES

PINK SHADES

ORANGE SHADES

WHITE SHADES

and

MIXED—All shades.

Largest size bulbs: Doz. 75c, 100 for \$5.25

TRITELEYA

TRITELEYA UNIFLORA VIOLACEA

A root-like bulb which produces in early spring a pale violet-blue flower with white center having a delightful fragrance. They multiply very rapidly and are very good in rock gardens or under shrubs or trees.

Doz. 65c

LEUCOJUM AESTIVUM

Snowflake

Producing spikes of drooping white flowers having a small green tip on each petal. The height is about 1 1/2 feet. A shady location suits them best and they should not be disturbed for several years, the blooms becoming better as they become established. Blooming time April and May.

Large bulbs: Doz. \$1.10

GALANTHUS

SNOWDROPS

A dainty milk-white bell-like flower suspended on a delicate stem. They are one of the first flowers to blossom in the spring; very hardy and multiply rapidly.

Doz. 70c

SCILLA CAMPANULATA

Wood Hyacinth

The flowers are similar to Hyacinths, being bell-shaped, drooping flowers, many on a spike. Left in place for several years they multiply rapidly, forming clumps which send up many spikes of graceful blooms. In three colors:

ALBA. White.

Per doz. 80c

ROSE QUEEN. Lilac rose.

Per doz. 90c

BLUE QUEEN. Medium blue.

Per doz. 75c

MIXED. A mixture of the above varieties.

Per doz. 80c

SIBIRICA. Intense blue.

Per doz. 75c

FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

Guinea Hen Flower

Checkered drooping flowers of yellow, white, purple and brown on 12-inch stalks. A good rock garden flower preferring a light and moist loam.

Doz. 45c, 100 for \$3.00

CHIONODOXA—Glory of the Snow

Dainty blue star-shaped flowers with white throats. Early bloomers; ideal for rock garden and mass plantings. Five inches tall.

Doz. 35c, 100 for \$2.00

ERYTHRONIUM

Dogs-tooth Violet

Small lily-shaped yellow blooms over unusual mottled foliage. Short, shade-loving plants which add much to any rockery.

Doz. 85c, 100 for \$6.00

MUSCARI—Grape Hyacinth

HEAVENLY BLUE

Like miniature bunches of grapes, these 8-inch high clusters of gentian blue flowers are most attractive. To be effective they should be planted in clumps. Plant only 3 to 4 inches deep. They are absolutely hardy and will multiply rapidly. They are very nice for cutting and have a pleasing fragrance.

Top size bulbs: Doz. 50c

ALBUM

White Grape Hyacinth—A white form not quite so tall as Heavenly Blue and the spikes even daintier.

Doz. 60c

MUSCARI PLUMOSUM

Feather Hyacinth—A very unusual and also very lovely flower in the form of a feathery plume; the color is blue-violet. Height about 8 inches.

Doz. 75c

WILSHIRE GARDENS

TERMS

We prepay delivery charges on all orders amounting to \$2.00 or more. On smaller orders add 25c to help cover cost of handling. Remittance may be made by check or money order. Stamps on small orders only. Cash, unless letter is registered, sent at customer's risk. Because of the extra time involved and the extra expense to the customer we have discontinued all C.O.D. shipments. WASHINGTON customers kindly remember 3% retail sales tax. NO TAX on out-of-state orders.

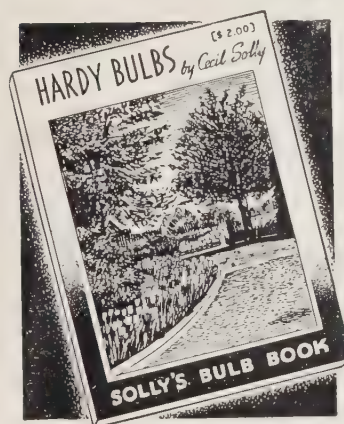
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We will ship all bulbs and plants at the best time for planting in your particular climate. Since this will probably mean that we will make two or more shipments in filling your order, we strongly advise early ordering. If you require special early or late shipping dates, let us know well in advance and we will try to have stock ready to accommodate you

*In answer to many requests
we are repeating . . .*

OUR SPECIAL OFFER



Cecil Solly, well known writer and radio commentator on garden subjects, has published a new book on

HARDY BULBS

It contains 144 pages of information on varieties of bulbs and their care and culture. Many illustrations are used including 18 pages in color.

Price \$2.00

We will be glad to fill your order for a copy.

To customers who send in an order amounting to \$25 or over we will send a copy of this fine book as a special gift.

Special Crocus Mixture

100
FIRST SIZE CROCUS
ASSORTED COLORS

\$2.50
Postpaid



Holly



Again this year we are justly proud to present our Holly and Assorted Christmas Greens. We grow and market the "French" strain of English Holly. This strain is, we believe, the finest grown. The leaves are heavy and dark green with a smooth waxy sheen. They resist drying and curling even after prolonged periods indoors. The bright red berries seem to sparkle in contrast to their dark background. Our Assorted Christmas Greens include native cedars, silvered salal, huckleberry and other evergreen sprays as well as cones and plain and variegated Holly.

This season, Holly will be marketed as follows:

BERRIED HOLLY

(for Christmas decorating)
2 lb. box \$2.50

HOLLY AND ASSORTED CHRISTMAS GREENS

2 lb. box \$2.50

HOLLY WREATHS

16-inch \$3.50
18-inch \$4.00

Holly is THE Christmas Gift

EXCERPTS FROM LETTERS TO WILSHIRE GARDENS

Santa Barbara, Calif.

Thank you so much for sending my relatives such lovely boxes of Christmas Greens. They were delighted with theirs—so fresh, so pretty they arrived—and I am very pleased.

Mrs. K. W.

Seattle, Washington

. . . My bulb order, which I received last week, comes up to every expectation, and they are fine large bulbs.

Mrs. H. A. B.

Juda, Wisconsin

Last year I had such good luck with your bulbs, I had to write and tell you about it. I entered them in the . . . County fair, and they received first place.

Mrs. A. L. R.

Los Angeles, Calif.

The bulbs bought from you last year for the garden . . . were the best I ever purchased.

Mrs. L. M. L.

COLCHICUM

(FALL CROCUS)

The unusual bulb that sends up its foliage in the Spring, and a large crocus-like bloom in the Fall. In shades of white, violet and orchid.

6 Large bulbs
all different \$2.00



DUTCH IRIS

The Dutch Iris we are offering are DeGraaff Hybrids, an improved form of the old Dutch Iris. They are distinguished by a narrow orange stripe on the falls instead of the large blotch on the older varieties. They are also superior in color and substance. In extreme climates they seem to need some protection although they do quite well as far north as New York. On the west coast and in the south they are absolutely hardy. They are also good for forcing in pots.

BLUE HORIZON

Standards light violet-blue, falls lighter blue, narrow yellow stripe. Large flower. Doz. 90c

D. HARING

Standards greyish white, falls pure white; very large flower of good substance. Doz. 90c

IMPERATOR

A uniform deep blue. Flowers late. Fine for forcing. Doz. 90c

WHITE EXCELSIOR

Uniform pure white, falls very broad, good form and substance. Good for forcing. Doz. \$1.10

YELLOW QUEEN

Uniform golden yellow. Blooms late. Doz. 70c

Collection of Dutch Iris

3 bulbs each of 5 varieties correctly labeled (15 bulbs) \$1.10

12 bulbs each of 5 varieties correctly labeled (60 bulbs) \$4.25

25 bulbs each of 5 varieties correctly labeled (125 bulbs) \$7.85

IRIS RETICULATA

A lovely little dwarf Iris with the scent of violets. Their color is a deep violet-blue; golden yellow blotch. Blooms very early.

Large bulbs: 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.25



IRIS RETICULATA

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DUTCH
IRIS

ENGLISH IRIS



The blossoms of the English Iris are much larger than those of the Dutch or Spanish, the plants are larger also and sturdier. They bloom in mid-June after the other varieties are gone. As cut flowers they are unsurpassable. The colors are several shades of blue, white, pearl, and maroon.

Large bulbs, mixed colors: Doz. \$1.50

WILSHIRE GARDENS



BEARDED IRIS COLLECTION

In answer to many requests we are listing our Bearded Iris Collection in this issue. This is an excellent and very colorful selection. Sold only as a collection.

ELMOHR—Mahogany.
TIFFANY—Yellow with bronze overlay.
CHINA MAID—Pink and buff.
CALIFORNIA GOLD—A good yellow.
DEEP VELVET—Rich blackish red-purple.
ORMOHR—Pale lilac with silvery cast.

1 each of 6 varieties (value \$4.85) for \$3.95

DUTCH HYACINTHS

Choice Top Size Imported Bulbs

Each\$.30
12 of one variety..... 3.00
3 of one variety..... .85

Bedding Size of All Varieties

Each\$.15
12 of one variety..... 1.50
3 of one variety..... .40

These sweet-scented beautiful flowers are a must for your garden. Plant them either as borders or in small groups of 3 to 6 of a variety. They should be set about 5 inches deep and may be left in the ground for several years. This year we offer 12 varieties chosen for the size and texture of their lovely flower spikes.

CITY OF HAARLEM

The very best yellow. Well filled trusses carried on a fine tall stem. An excellent exhibition variety.

DR. STRESEMAN

Combining a tall erect stem with an enormous spike of clear azure blue. A fine novelty flower.

GRAND MAITRE

Excellent for bedding or forcing. Large compact truss of deep lavender blue.

GERTRUDE

Having a compact flower of rosy pink. This variety is good for forcing, in pots, and excellent for bedding.

KING OF THE BLUES

A fine compact flower truss of clear deep blue.

LADY DERBY

An early variety having large trusses of lovely bright rose-pink.

LA VICTOIRE

Bright deep carmine-rose; a fine spike of unusual shade. Color a little lighter when forced.

HOQUIAM, WASHINGTON



Select Bulbs
from one of
Holland's largest
growers of
Hyacinths

L'INNOCENCE

Large well placed bells of pure white on a large truss; best white variety for both forcing and bedding.

LORD BALFOUR

Lilac tinged violet. A fine spike of new and unusual shade.

PINK PEARL

An extra early variety that is excellent for forcing. Strong well shaped spikes of deep rose.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES

A fine light blue with beautiful silvery shade, large spike. Fine for forcing.

YELLOW HAMMER

A true yellow, large broad well-shaped spike.

Collection

ONE EACH OF 12 VARIETIES PROPERLY LABELED

Choice	}	12 bulbs	\$3.25
Top Size		3 each of 12 varieties.....	9.00
Bedding	}	12 bulbs ..	\$1.75
Size		3 each of 12 varieties.....	6.25

Starter Collection

APRICOT—Sweet scented cadmium yellow.....	\$.40
MARGARET PERRY—Rose-buff lined red.....	.40
GOLDEN DREAM—Clear frosted orange.....	.50
MANDARIN—Large, clear, pale yellow.....	.75
MRS. W. H. WYMAN—Late glistening yellow.....	.35
DR. REGEL—Very early orange, low, dainty.....	.35
GOLDENI—Excellent deep orange, prolific.....	.35

1 each of 7 plants (value \$3.10) \$2.50

This collection may be had with 1 plant of Fulva Rosea included—8 plants (a \$6.10 value) for \$5.25

HEMEROCALLIS

Red, Lemon and Gold Collection

LEMONA—Lemon yellow.....	\$.35
GEORGE YELD—Bicolor.....	.60
BAGDAD—Copper-red.....	.75
RAJAH—RED.....	.75
HYPERION—Large yellow.....	.75
OPHIR—Large deep yellow.....	.45

1 each of 6 plants (value \$3.65) \$3.00

DAYLILIES in the last few years have been developed to a high degree of perfection to make them deserving of their more formal name, *hemerocallis*. In contrast to the older varieties you already know, there are the new ones boasting a delightful fragrance, those that will open even on dark, cloudy days, and those that will stay fresh as cut flowers, making new and unusual arrangements possible. There is now an intriguing color range and a widely adaptable variation in height. Some multiply rapidly if you wish to fill in an area quickly. Others multiply slowly if you wish them to stay put in a small space. An armchair gardener's delight, they are disease-free and pest-free; they will thrive in any soil even under mistreatment and neglect. For quickest effect, plant in groups of three of a kind.

ANNA BETSCHER

Large flower of rich orange-yellow shaded reddish brown. Height about 3 ft. Midsummer bloom. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35

ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL

One of the largest Daylilies in existence and a profuse bloomer. The color is solid canary yellow with blooms 7" across; foliage dark green and crinkled. Each \$3.00

AUREOLE

Orange-yellow flowers on 2½ ft. plants. Begins its long blooming season in May. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

BAY STATE

A popular large-flowered variety of deep, glistening yellow. The plant is broad-leaved and sturdy, about 3½ ft. high; long, mid-summer blooming season. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35



HEMEROCALLIS HYBRIDS

BEACON

This, the best of the Betscher introductions, is one of the finest of the *Hemerocallis*. It is still quite scarce. Very large, well formed flowers of glowing gold are borne on 4 to 5 foot stalks. June and July. Each \$1.00

BIJOU

A background of orange overcast with fulvous red. Each \$1.00

BLACK FALCON

Mid-summer blooming. 36". Very large, dark open flowers with wavy edges and a shallow, pale-yellow cup. Most unusual. Each \$6.00

BOUTONNIERE

Late summer bloomer. 36". Small brilliant flowers of light orange suffused with rosy peach. Recurved. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35

CHENG TU

Very popular mid-summer variety with a coppery orange-red base color and a velvety red mid-zone. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50

CINNABAR

Rosy brown-red with a yellow throat. Increases rapidly. Has a long blooming season starting in July. Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65

CLEO

This one is a lovely pastel pink which comes into bloom in the late summer season. Each \$2.00

CRESSIDA

Rich golden star-shaped flowers of immense size. Luxuriant foliage. Flower stems about 3 feet. Blooming season July-August. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

DAWN

A very large flower of fulvous rose with a sulphur-yellow base. Plenty of blooms during the mid-summer period. Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65

D. D. WYMAN

A superb golden yellow with a tawny splash on the petals. Large flowers on 3 foot stems. July-August. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

E. A. BOWLES

Large flat flaring flowers of rich reddish orange blended with salmon and paler orange. Each 75c

EARLIANA

This lovely Betscher daylily has the habit and blooming period of the old early varieties but its large and very full flowers of rich golden yellow place it far in advance of the older sorts. The flowers face upwards and the broad rounded petals curve downward at the tips. Heights 2 feet. May and June. Each \$3.00

FLAVA

Known to many as the "Lemon Lily", this variety blooms in late May with the poppies and lupines. The blossoms are lemon-yellow and are very fragrant. Plants grow 3 feet tall. Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25

FLORHAM

A large blossom of deep gold. Blooming season in June and July. Plants grow about 3 feet tall. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10

FULVOLO

One of the newer varieties blooming very late. Color is dark fulvous, height about 30 inches. Each \$1.50

GAIETY

A Betscher hybrid, summer blooming. Large wide-open flowers of pale yellow. Each \$1.50

WILSHIRE GARDENS

(DAYLILIES)

All Varieties Shown in These Collections May
Be Ordered Separately at the Prices Shown

Nationally Advertised Collection

AMARYLLIS—Soft yellow, deeper throat.	\$.50
AUGUST PIONEER—Orange with red flush.75
MISCHIEF—Red with yellow throat.	1.00
SONNY—Light yellow and firm texture.	1.25
MIKADO—Soft orange with mahogany eye.50
AUTUMN RED—Long blooming velvety red.	2.50
1 plant of each (value \$6.50) \$5.00	

GAY TROUBADOUR

Large, flaring, bi-colored flowers. The petals are bright red with a strong yellow mid-stripe; the sepals are maize yellow suffused with red. New and choice. Each \$5.00

GOLD DUST

A semi-dwarf plant and one of the earliest to bloom. Height 2½ feet, color golden yellow. Blooming season May-June. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

GYPSY

A sturdy broad-leaved plant having large blossoms of bright orange with a fulvous ring. Stems 42 inches. Blooming season late July and early August. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

HEATHER ROSE

A rose pink daylily of great beauty blooming in midsummer. 36". Each \$5.00

J. A. CRAWFORD

A lovely apricot-yellow blooming in midseason. Increases rapidly. Height 3½ feet. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

J. R. MANN

A large frosted buff and yellow blossom. The plant is large and sturdy with broad leaves. Flower stems about 42 inches. Has an extended blooming season late June to early August. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00

J. T. RUSSELL

A large two-tone flower of canary yellow marked with cinnamon. A Russell hybrid. Each 75c

KANAPAH

A clear cardinal red; one of the finest of the red shades. 36". Each \$6.00

LINDA

A stout hybrid. Ruffled petals, golden yellow at the base, with a red eye. Each \$1.50

MIDENDORFII

One of the standard dwarf daylilies. Height 1-1½ feet. Flowers a rich orange opening in late May or early June. Each 30c, 3 for 75c

MINOR

An early dwarf variety. Foliage grasslike, flowers dainty and clear, soft yellow. Blooms in early May. Height 16 inches. Especially good in the rock garden. Each 30c, 3 for 75c

MRS. SEITH

One of the newest of Betscher varieties; a very large and beautiful flower of deep gold. Blooms very late in August and September. Height 3 feet. Each \$2.50

PINK CHARM

Blooms in late summer. 40". Deep coral pink recurved flowers with light cadmium yellow star. Each \$5.00

PINK LUSTRE

A very large flower of palest cream yellow overlaid with shadings of rose. Each \$5.00

PIQUANTE

A very unusual raspberry pink daylily blooming in late summer. Each \$4.00

ROCKET

A Yerex hybrid, seedling of Rajah, with tall well branched stalks bearing very large flowers of deep crimson overlaid with purple. Frequently three flowers open at once on a stem. 3 feet. July. Each \$3.00

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Broad, curled petals of light yellow sprinkled with fulvous red. Very unusual. July bloom. Each 65c, 3 for \$1.75

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Tall, graceful plant producing many pale, creamy yellow flowers in July. Each \$2.50



HARDY GARDEN LILIES

We take great pride in offering to our customers this year some new Lily Hybrids from Jan de Graaff's Oregon Bulb Farms, one of America's foremost hybridizers. We made a personal visit to the fields during the blooming season again last year. These Lilies have been bred not only for color but for disease resistance and hardiness. The new pink, sulphur, red, orange and yellow shades are truly beautiful.

AURATUM (Gold-banded Lily)

Large white bowl-shaped flowers are carried on stems 4 to 6 feet tall. Each of the six petals of the flower has a gold stripe down the center and is also heavily spotted with crimson. Has a wonderful fragrance. Blooms in August. These are hybrids from especially vigorous stock and free from virus diseases. American grown.

Top size bulbs: Each \$2.40

AURATUM (Japanese-grown)

Each \$1.00

AURATUM PLATYPHYLLUM

"Golden-rayed Lily of Japan." Blooms stand out horizontally. Fragrant and waxy-white, golden-streaked and often crimson spotted. Need full sun and rich, well-drained soil.

6-7" bulbs: Each \$1.50, 3 for \$4.00

AURELIAN HYBRIDS

These grand Lilies are the result of many years of patient hybridization, selection and propagation by a Northwest Lily hybridist. Many thousands of crosses have been made resulting in a distinctly different and beautiful strain of trumpet and semi-trumpet Lilies in white, ivory, cream and sulphur tones.

"SUNBURST"

This group most closely resembles L. Henryi in shape. Unusual texture makes them suitable for garden or cut flower work. In random size only.

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"HEART'S DESIRE"

In between trumpet and Henryi shape. Especially wide flared and bowl-shaped.

Large bulbs: Each \$3.00

BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS

These are hybrids from the crossings of many forms of west coast native lilies. All of them are handsome, brilliantly colored flowers in shades of yellow and orange.

Each 75c, doz. \$7.50

CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily)

One of the oldest lilies in cultivation and one of the most popular. Because these lilies form a rosette of leaves in early fall they MUST be planted in late August or early September. Beautiful blossoms of pure white; blossoms upturned and many on a stem. Very fragrant. Blooming time late June. Order early.

Top Size Bulbs: Each 90c, Doz. \$9.00

Large Bulbs: Each 70c, Doz. \$7.00

Medium Bulbs: Each 40c, Doz. \$4.00

L. CANDIDUM (Cascade Strain)

This is a new strain of Madonna lily developed over a period of years from the best in foreign and American strains. It is unusual in that it sets seeds freely and is greatly resistant to Botrytis. The bulbs should be planted not later than the 15th of September as their dormant period is very short.

Top size bulbs individually wrapped: Each 90c

CENTIFOLIUM "OLYMPIC HYBRIDS"

This modern strain of Trumpet Lilies has been proven in field tests to be the finest strain of hardy garden lilies available. Over a period of years crossings have been made with regale, centifolium, Brownii and other trumpet lilies, the best of these seedlings being selected to produce this Olympic strain. There is a pleasing variation among the individual plants, some having long trumpets, others being more wide-open with petals slightly ruffled and twisted. The color range of the parent plants is found in this strain plus lovely shades of creamy yellow, soft fuchsia pink and cool icy green. The plants do best in partial shade. If the flowers are to be used for show purposes they should be given shade as soon as the buds show color.

Large exhibition size bulbs: Each 50c, doz. \$5.00

Good planting size bulbs: Each 30c; doz. \$3.00

CENTIFOLIUM "PINK TRUMPETS"

These fine hybrids show a flush of rose-pink on the face of the flower. They have been developed by selection from long hybridized strains of Liliums Sargentiae, leucanthum and regale. They are new and very interesting and attractive. Early July flowering.

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CONCOLOR

A favorite member of the Lily family. Cheerful bright red star-shaped flower blooming in late spring and early summer. It needs a sunny location and well drained soil. Should be planted in groups of five or six to make a nice showing.

Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65, doz. \$6.00

FIESTA HYBRIDS

These are crosses of the famous lilies introduced by Miss Preston. Stems are tall and erect and carry a large group of rich orange-vermilion flowers, some of which are spotted and some plain. All inferior plants have been rogued out and the resulting strain is very vigorous and robust.

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FORMOSANUM

A late blooming white lily. The flowers are similar in shape to the Regal lily but more slender; the outside of the petals is suffused with a deep rose coloring; stems four to six feet and with several blossoms on each stem.

Large bulbs: Each 45c, doz. \$4.50
Medium bulbs: Each 30c, doz. \$3.00

GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRIDS

A definitely superior plant which should have a light shade to show off the unusual coloring to best advantage. A white trumpet with green throat and brown shading on the exterior of the petals. Very valuable for exhibition and cut flowers.

6" to 7": Each 60c, doz. \$6.00

HENRYI

A hardy vigorous lily very easy to grow. Does well in any light or medium garden soil. Height up to 8 feet in a well established planting with as many as 20 blooms to a stem. The color is deep orange-yellow and blooming time August-September.

Each 50c, doz. \$5.00

MARTIGON ALBUM

The pure white form of the Martigon lily so popular in Europe and England. The dainty waxy flowers are gracefully placed and form a symmetrical pyramid on 4-foot stems. One of the most permanent of all lilies. Once it is happily settled it will increase from year to year, forming larger and finer spikes. Plant not deeper than 4 inches in a well drained sunny location.

Top size bulbs: Each \$2.00

MAXWILL

A brilliant orange-red lily blooming in July. The stem is from five to six feet with as many as 20 blooms after the bulb becomes established. Very robust.

Large bulbs: Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65, doz. \$6.00

MID-CENTURY HYBRIDS

These hardy lilies by Jan de Graaff are the result of a rather involved hybridization process which included crossing and recrossing several well known lilies and their resulting offspring until the MID-CENTURY HYBRIDS show the hardiness, coloring and resistance to disease of their famous parents. Last October, the Saturday Evening Post featured this strain, and the requests and orders started pouring in, but not until this year is there enough stock to place on the market and at best we are extremely limited.

CAMPFIRE

The best deep, fiery, Indian red in the upright lilies. Petals pointed and rather narrow. Grows to 3 feet in nursery, probably much taller in the garden. Each \$3.00

ENCHANTMENT (U. S. Plant Pat. No. 862)

A prolific upright lily of vivid Nasturtium-red. A lively, blazing color. May not be grown commercially without express consent from Jan de Graaff. Each \$2.50

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PAGODA

One of the tallest uprights in this collection, colored a true orange-chrome. Six to eight nicely arranged blooms on a good stem up to four feet. A natural for large floral arrangements.

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PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM (Sunset Lily)

This is a very tall growing lily with stems 5 to 7 feet. The coloring is bright scarlet and gold spotted maroon. A very striking lily flowering with us in June.

Large bulbs: Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

RAINBOW HYBRIDS

These lilies have cup-shaped flowers that stand straight up like tulips. Colors from golden yellow all the way to deepest mahogany-red. This strain is grown from seed so that it is free from all bulb-borne diseases and pests.

FLAMINGO

A soft flamingo-pinkish-orange, enormously large upright flowers with dark green glossy foliage. A most pleasing blend of color for early summer. Each \$2.00

TANGERINE

A soft true tangerine-orange coloring so popular that it was withdrawn from the market for a while until further stocks could be built up. We will have just a few this year.

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REGALE

The most popular of all lilies and planted in many gardens all over America. It is very hardy, thriving in almost any soil. The blossom is a large white trumpet with canary yellow throat and a suffusion of wine color on the backs of the petals. It can be used for forcing in pots, coming into bloom in early spring.

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SHUKSAN

A lovely apricot lily dotted with black, originated by the late Dr. Griffiths. A vigorous and handsome plant, stems 4 feet, coming into flower in July.

Large bulbs: Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50, doz. \$9.00

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM

This lovely lily has gracefully recurved and handsomely spotted petals. The color ranges from pink to rosy-carmine on a white ground. Anthers are very large and golden brown. Height 4 to 5 feet. Blooming time August. Imported strain.

Each \$1.20, 3 for \$3.25, doz. \$12.00

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM "Red Champion"

Fine American grown strain, uniform in color, disease free and vigorous. Is good for garden planting, cut flowers and forcing in a cool greenhouse. Smaller size bulbs receive less shock in transplanting.

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The highly prized white form of Speciosum rubrum.

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SPECIOSUM KRAETZERI

A distinct lily not to be confused with Speciosum Album. The leaves are pointed and bright green. The flowers open pure white with a pale green stripe halfway down the center of each petal. Anthers reddish brown.

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TENUIFOLIUM

A lovely dainty bright orange-red lily blooming in June. Height is only about 2 feet, with six to eight blossoms on each stem. Petals are recurved and quite waxy. Very nice for the rock garden or in a border. Reproduces very easily from seed.

Top size bulbs: Each 30c, doz. \$3.00

TESTACEUM (Nankeen Lily)

One of the most beautiful hybrids ever produced. The flower, of the turk's cap type with recurving petals, is apricot yellow flushed pale pink with bright red anthers. The height is 4 to 6 feet with up to 12 flowers to a stem.

Large bulbs: Each \$2.50

TIGRINUM SPLENDENS (Tiger Lily)

Thrives in almost any soil. The bright orange spotted flowers appear in July. Height 4 to 6 feet. Many blossoms to each stem.

Top size bulbs: Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

TIGRINUM FLORE PLENO

Double type of the above Tiger Lily.

Top size bulbs: Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

UMBELLATUM HYBRIDS

Brilliant orange and red-orange upright blossoms on strong 2 to 3 foot stems. Very sturdy plants. Bulbs multiply quite rapidly. Bloom in early summer.

Top size bulbs: Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00

UMBELLATUM "Golden Chalice"

These hybrids are a specially selected strain of Umbellatum crossed with Dauricum and Elegans. The color varies from clear lemon yellow through rich warm shades of gold and apricot-orange. They are particularly drought resistant and can be planted in a warm spot in the perennial border. Height 2½ to 4 feet. Flowering time June.

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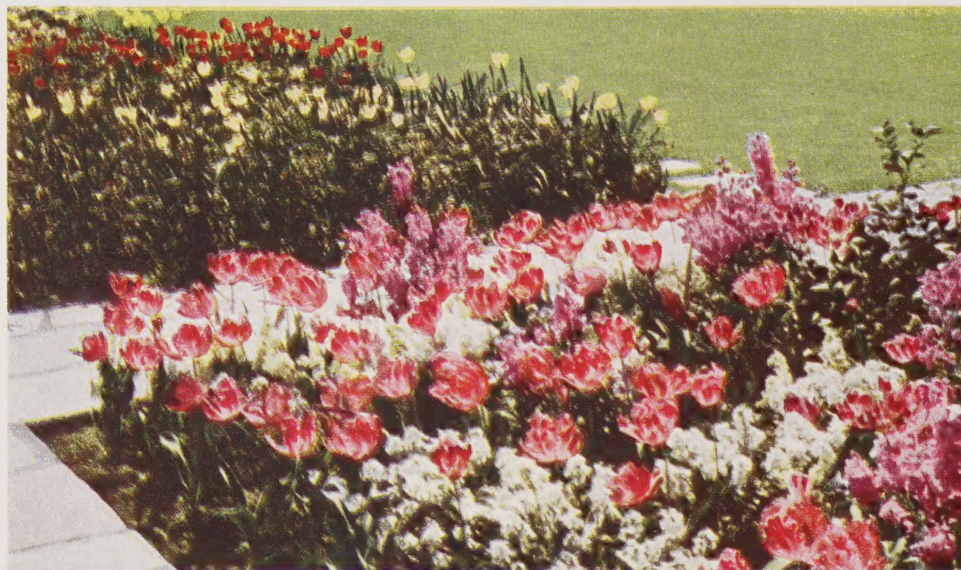


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